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TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD FOR TRANSFORMING DATA FORMATS BETWEEN DIFFERENT DATABASE SYSTEMS, AN APPARATUS FOR EXECUTING THE METHOD AND THE PROGRAM OF THE METHOD

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